PATENT APPLICATIO

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In re the Application of

Yoshihiro TSUCHIYA et al.

Application No.: 10/645,901

August 22, 2003 Filed:

MAGNETIC TRANSDUCER, THIN-FILM MAGNETIC HEAD AND METHOD OF For:

MANUFACTURING THE SAME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above identified application.

Entitlement to small entity status is hereby asserted.

Small entity status of this application has been established.

Any additional claim fees have been calculated as shown below:

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)	
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	
TOTAL CLAIMS	*26 MINUS	**26	=0	
INDEP CLAIMS	*5 MINUS	***3	=2	
☐ FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM				

	SMALL			
ENTITY				
Ì	RATE	ADD'L FEE		
	x 25	\$		
	x 100	\$		
	+ 180	\$		
		\$		

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Group Art Unit: 2652

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OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY				
OR	RATE	ADD'L FEE		
	x 50	\$		
	x 200	\$400		
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		\$400		
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- If the entry in Column 1 is less than the entry in Column 2, write "0" in Column 3.
- If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, write "20" in this space.
- If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 3, write "3" in this space.

The "Highest Number Previously Paid For" in this space (Total or Independent) is the highest number found from the equivalent box in Column 1 of a prior Amendment or the number of claims originally filed.

Check No. 168535 in the amount of \$400 is attached. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees that may be required to complete this filing, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two duplicate copies of this sheet are attached.

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Date: July 8, 2005

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT

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Remarks.

Sir:

In reply to the June 16, 2005 Election of Species Requirement, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and

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